Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 24 Jan 2021 until 23:59 on Monday 25 Jan 2021

Forecast Issued on Saturday 23 Jan 2021 at 14:42 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a lot of dry weather over the next few days but low from later on Tuesday, with uncertainty on timing of fronts pushing up from the southwest.

Headline for Sunday 24 Jan 2021: Mostly dry and sunny.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 24 Jan 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	20%

Forecast for Sunday 24 Jan 2021

Weather: It will be largely dry throughout much of the day with prolonged sunny spells, any patchy cloud will be in the west. By late evening there is a low chance of the odd light snow shower.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90% but 70-80% by late evening.

Visibility: Good but temporary reductions to poor in any snow showers late evening with cloud base 500-600m.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	21/27 SW	21/26 SW	18/23 SW	17/22 SW	16/21 SW	17/22 SW	18/23 SW	19/23 SW	18/23 SW
900	14/20 SW	14/20 SW	12/18 SW	11/16 SW	11/16 SW	12/17 SW	12/17 SW	13/18 SW	13/17 SW
600	12/20 SW	11/19 SW	11/18 SW	10/16 SW	9/16 SW	10/17 SW	10/17 SW	10/17 SW	9/16 SW
300	6/14 W	7/16 W	7/15 W	6/13 W	7/13 W	5/13 W	5/13 W	6/13 W	6/13 W
Glen	5/12 W	4/12 W	5/11 W	4/9 W	5/10 W	4/11 W	4/8 W	4/11 W	4/11 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	-8/-17	-8/-18	-9/-18	-9/-17	-8/-16	-8/-16	-9/-17	-9/-17	-9/-17
900	-7/-14	-7/-14	-8/-15	-8/-14	-6/-12	-6/-12	-8/-14	-7/-14	-7/-14
600	-5/-11	-5/-11	-6/-12	-6/-12	-4/-9	-4/-9	-6/-11	-6/-11	-6/-11
300	-4/-8	-5/-9	-5/-10	-6/-10	-1/-4	-1/-4	-4/-8	-4/-8	-4/-8
Glen	-4/-7	-4/-7	-4/-7	-5/-8	0/-2	0/-2	-3/-5	-3/-6	-3/-6
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	100m	00m	00m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling very cold, particularly at height.

Forecast for Monday 25 Jan 2021
Weather: Chance of a few wintry showers on Monday, mainly in the north, but still a lot of dry weather with sunny spells.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 5 -10 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70-80%

Visibility: Generally good but patchy cloud bases around 500-600m, mainly in association with showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 3 rising to plus 2 Celsius
At 800m: Minus 6 Celsius
Freezing level: 200m rising to 400-600m

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